In the purchase of a new horse always

urchase a mare. She will raise you son

Whether you should breed your two

Waiting to teach the colt to eat grain

The foul cistern spreads disease.

It is not advisable to add a silage.

The nurse crop is going out of business

Plow up the grasshopper egg-infester

You can raise this amount on thre

Put the corn into the silo as near as p

Nine millions a year are spent in th

It is encouraging to see how quick!

High, well drained soil is best, but the

rape will grow on most any kind of so

Corn should be a cultivated crop in

Watch your cabbage and prevent the

It is said that bees cannot profitably

the pastures respond to frequent rains.

year old filly depends somewhat up

she is in.

fields this fall.

and exposure.

bit of corn fodder.

very sense of the word.

plitting of heads if possible

The bean harvest is very dej

on the weather or good results.

res of good land.

but not out of doors.

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FARM NEWS AND VIEWS

The prospect is for plenty of apples this

Cowpeas are splendid for either bay or Clover is cut for seed after all the heads

Ripe, dry corn, if put in the silo, ould by all means be watered.

Land for vetch should be plowed an repared the same as for sowing. Add a few more roosts until the pou

y is thinned out for winter. Never allow the call to get fat in the ense that the beef breeder desires.

A few hene are always profitable while ery large flocks are seldom so. Soaked grain generally puts on slightly ster gains than dry grain.

Winter rve has usually survived withut any protection from stubble or other

It is not unusual for the cream from cow advances fat in lactation to be diffi-The chief benefit from silage fed t

hogs, at least that from corn, lies in the Alfalfa or clover is relished by he

whether green or as hav or silage, if the atter is not too acid. Corn smut does not to any extent, harm the feeding value of corn fodder so far as

cattle are concerned. The feeding of silage to hogs has been ried experimentally by several station;

Keep the strawberry patch free from

Trees to do their best should be planted Ascertain the varieties of fruits and vege

ra romzed Pears should be gathered just as soo the stem will break from the limb b

ifting up the pear. If there are any limbs dead or out of

ime to look after them. Grow trees for post timber, lumber, nuts uits as well as evergreens and ornamer

When your crop is ready, grade care ully and pack properly to suit the market and the nature of the products packed. Plenty of sunlight in and around the fruit is what gives the "classy" finish to

Clean tillage from early spring un late fall is the only approved method of strawberry culture unless heavy mulches

the fruit and makes it sell at the top of

The blackberry is easily propagated by tache the sections—a boy can put them up. I am sole agent for this section.

Dan't neglect to commence feeding the Its some grain before they are weaned Is the slobbering horse in need of more ain, or may it not be that its teeth need

The spring colt should be as gentle as a itten by this time and know what a hal

A good draft horse is a good farm horse ther to wear out in the field or to when mature.

There are a good many breeders who ill believe that it is profitable to grind corn for the hoge.

spring feeding. It is great when the sheep get tired of timothy. evenile "cough riders" who choose hog DEL. for their mounts.

igures, or it may be as long but appea only at front and back which is becomin

LINGERIE WAISTS
Lingerie waists are made in this style of line is desired, trimmings are contin us on waist and peplum. More waists are nown in the shops with sleeves set i than cut in one, but the imported gar ents and most exclusive showings stil ling to the Peasant cut. The strictly ish shirt or wa hable silk with sof rnover collar held by a link button and cuffs similarly fastened is a favorite for run about and school wear, and in this ere is usually no attempt to match the nit in color, but all other waists are select ed to match the dress and often have a little of the dress material carried up on

THREE OR MORE MATERIALS badly-gashed head.

Three or more materials are often used n such waists and not linings are increas gly popular since these and well, ar ight, and permit of elaborate effects with the work. The outer material is usual ly chiffen-cloth-heavier than chiffon and wearing better. Marquisette or net in the color of the skirt. The gamp and

NEW YORK FASHIONS

olts, which will increase the farm profits. New York, March 4th. There seems to be no season of a shop or department with a display of pretty the care she has had and the condition new blouses that does not prove attractive and this is especially so at this time when one wants a smart top to freshen up a until it is weaned is poor economy, as the colt will surely receive a bad setback. worn suit or go well with the new "tailor nade." There is no end to the variet Horses with tender feet need lots of attion. It should be remembered that a nents-the only novel feature is the horse can do more than his feet will Coatee" or pepium below the belt line. This assumes various forms. It may be rom six to nine inches for slight girlisl

of the waist; or it may be cut away from he front and gradually increase in length to the back in regular coat fashion.

There should be a place for everything Buckthorn makes a splendid hedge. It careful farmer will save every possible the waist in bib or shoulder strappings to give that continuity of effect that improve Cowness do not do so well at the north

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS OF THE PENINSULA

Cholera has again broken out among USEFUL THINGS TO KNOW ogs in Kent county and a number have

Falling from a wagon, Rev. Harry Cov-

A band, composed entirely of young nen, is being organized in Centreville b Professor W. C. Orrell.

James Hogan, of Buck Neck, lost two rses within a few days, through influenza, and another is sick.

Marcus Asher, the fur king of Kent nite as darker ones, and, where length county, has this winter marketed over richest and juciest. 3000 mink, muskrat, skunk, fox, raccoo and opossum hides.

> The University of Pittsburgh has conferred on Dr. James W. Cain president of Washington College, Chestertown, the de gree of Doctor of Laws.

W. Irving Walker, of the House o Delegates from Centreville, has prepared a bill authoring the Good Roads Commis sion to take over the Chester River

Falling on a Wilmington sidewalk, Thomas Hammond, aged 45, sustained

wife, Walter Empson, colored, aged 25. s locked up in the Wilmington police station awaiting a hearing.

While playing basketball in Wilming on Saturday night W. H. Mearns, aged 22. of Crum Lynn, Pa., was so badly cut n one eye that he had to go to Delaware

Zoar M. E. Circuit has for the sixth con ecutive time asked for the return of Pasor Jan:es H. Derrickson.

Eugene L. Lewis bagged 15 ducks withan hour near the head of the Red Lion Spring Ditches, south of New Castle.

Clara Coulter has been presented with

a gold pin and a medal for winning a declamation contest given by Givenwood W. C. T. U. The Peoples Railroad Company of Wil-

nington, will give a bonus each month to car crews who have the least number of The general store and post office a

y thieves who stole nothing but candy and chewing gum. The Wilmington Ministerial Union has dopted resolutions commending the po-

Rockland, near Wilmington, was entered

sell intoxicating liquors on Sunday.

ice for their crusade against clubs that

The People's Railway Company of Wilmington has canceled all passes over this on fire. The blaze removes hairs and wilpings be had seen and he loped they would be the last. He conducts religious gridered by the Public William Committee of the conduction of the cond ordered by the Public Utilities Commis-

Owen Hession, aged 10, of Wilmington was caught by the shoulder by a horse, lifted from the ground and thrown into in a hot oven. the street but escaped before the animal

Six days following the death of her usband, Mrs. Robert Brown, an aged ylmar resident, died Sunday.

As a result of trimming a corn, blood oison forced Charles F. Baldwin, of Abrdeen, to have a toe amputated.

Captain George R. Carver. of Havre-de Frace, has sold his gunning outfit, inclu-Philadelphia.

Pleading guilty to stealing chickens ydney Dallam, colored, of near Joppa, as been sentenced to a year in the House of Correction.

Rev. Dr. J. Ross Stevenson, of Brown Memorial Church, Baltimore, delivered the March school sermon at Tome School, Port Deposit Sunday.

As a result of septic poisoning, Mrs. Barnes, wife of Rev. R. S. Barnes, of Jarettsville, had to have an arm amputated at the shoulder.

The North East Baseball Club has or ganized by electing M. E.Rose, president; E. J. Campbell, secretary and treasurer,

convened in Elkton Monday Wayne Rey-nolds, Sixth district, was appointed foreman of the Grand Jury.

Turkey for several days, Charles Reed, aged 70 a pensioner of the Pennsylvania Railroad, was found dead in bed.

Not noticed about his home near Red

In a clay target match W. Artbur-Mitchell defeated State's Attorney Albert in use," said the editor-proprietor. Then be paused and added, Except the cash drawer. You might as well take that." be without the state boundary lines.

In use," said the editor-proprietor. Then construct or assist in the construction of his constable on the Elkton Gun Club grounds, 36 to 33 out of a possible 50. grounds, 36 to 33 out of a possible 50.

until t' o custard is cold. A slice of lemon stewed with ves a most delicious flavor.

If meat for soup is cut into small pieces, When frying mush, dip the slices first white of egg. This makes them crisp. To peel tomatoes without scalding rub

In selecting beef, the pieces which are well mottled with fat will be found the

nem backward with the blunt end of a

For the roast of cold lamb course, serve an egg salad, sprinkled with minced mint

Clean the glass of pictures with whiting as water is apt in time to mar the painting

ney should be whiped off with a soft cloth, dipped in olive oil.

Wooden breadboards are kept in better ndition by rubbing them with sand will absorb the microbe organisms of dis than by simply using soap.

In making bread, do not fill the pans ver half full. Bread should rise to twice its size before baking.

Wring a cloth in vinegar and wrap it everal thicknesses around cheese to keep it from molding or diving. Odd pieces of fruit, such as one banana

White kid gloves should be rubbed gently with bread crumbs after each wearing, and they will keep clean a long time. A little vir gar put into water in whic

an apple or an orange are mixed with

emon gelatine to advantage.

eggs are perched will keep them white and prevent them from spreading. In baking cake, it is well to remember that a sponge cake requires a lower tem

perature than a cake made with butter. A scented bag that will keep moth away is made of the follows: One-hall ounce each of cloves, nutmeg and caraway seeds.

nful of mixed herbs are the proper flavoring for one quart of water for soup-Old bread just now takes a new form in bread-crumb cakes. Soak the bread in butter milk and use flour to thicken the

Add a teaspoonful of sugar of lead to the water in which fine silk hosiery is washed to prevent the delicate color from

To take the smell of fish from hands wash them in water which contains a few drops of ammonia.

If you get too much salt into your tomato soup, add a bit of brown sugar. It seems to make salty soup taste all right. But better still is to add a few slices of raw

The best way to singe the hairs and pin criminals, on the ground that it is not feathers from a fowl is to put it in a pan justifiable. He said they were the first

Instead of frying mackerel in a spider place it in a baking pan on a piece of old cotton cloth or thick brown paper. Sprink le over a little salt and add several pieces of selt park or butter if professor. Pake le over a little salt and add several pieces of salt pork or butter if preferred. Bake in a bot oven

If colored cottons are washed in bran or starch water instead of soap suds they will keep their color. If bran is used putit in a bag of loosely woven cheesecloth a handful of either is enough for a smal. tub of water.

Use four pounds of rump, or other thi roasting piece. Sear quickly on a hot frying pan or in a very hot oven. Put into stew kettle with one and one-half cups of boiling water. Cover closely and put where it will just boil. Watch that the water does not boil away or the meat will burn. Cook until tender, probably about ling his yacht, to Joseph McCall, of three hours. Add salt 15 minutes before taking up. Remove the meat carefully to a hot platter. Add more water to the gravy, if necessary and thicken with one tablespoonful flour smoothed in butter, guaranteed at

Put into a mixing bowl one cup sugar. cups sifted flour into which has been sifted one rounding teaspoon baking pow-der. Then into a cup put the whites of two eggs and fill the cup half full of butthe three ingredients making a cupfull. Add a little flavoring. Now put all into the bowl and beat five minutes.

Universal Pudding-Stone and cut fine one pound dates, mix one cup sour milk one-half cup sugar, one half cup molasses one-quarter teaspoon salt, butter (two good teaspoons, after it is melted), one teaspoon soda and two cups graham flour, mix all thoroughly, adding the dates, steam one and one-half hours and put in oven for ten minutes. Serve with hard sugar sauce.

Simple Charlotte Russe—Take dry sponge cake or better still some lady fingers, place in dish whip a half pint of cream until stiff, flavor with teaspoon (small one) vanilla and pile on the lady fingers (or cake) in a glass dish.

If you have any currant or grape jelly, drop a little on each one's portion when

Mocha Filling-Wash the salt out of two-thirds of cup of butter, then cream with two cups powdered sugar until light and fluffy; add well beaten yolks of two eggs; one teaspoonful vanilla and third cup of strong coffee little by little. Strain coffee; then beat all together vigorously In washing only running water should be used because if washed in water that

DID NOT FANCY GROOM

"I like your town, but not my pros pected husband", were the words of Mrs. Adelaide Pickering, as she left Hurlock, Md., on the earliest train Friday morning after having come all the way from Aurors, Canada, to meet and wed L. J. Quil-len, of Hurlock, to whom she had plight. ed her troth through a matrimonial agency, but with whom she failed to fall in love at first sight when she met he rospected husband at Hurlock Thursday night, and for want of the necessary bride, there was not the expected wed

L. J. Quillen advertised through a matrimonial agency for a wife some weeks ago. A correspondence through the mails ollowed with Mrs. Pickering. The disance proved too great and both began to believe they could not live without the other. The prospective bride hied herself rom Aurora, and with her son, of eight years, and daughter. of fourteen, brought brough tickets for Hurlock. She came he saw, she conquered, but marry, nay, aid she, when she espied her husband 'Nothing doing," said she-"It's back to

Aurora for mine and she's gone. Mrs. Pickering is about 52, and seemed attractive and prosperous. Quillen-well

ne was 52 some years. Some other eligible men of the town of Hurlock, who learned too late of the deerred wedding, are jealous because they did not have the opportunity to substitute for Quillen and save return tickets to

Whipping Post Makes Foe

Wilmington, Del., March 3 .- Having To mend linen tablecloths, remove the the bare backs of several prisoners at the The Pennsylvania Railroad is installing the place to be darned under it and stitch two 60-footstee! spans over the tracks at back and forth. It is much quicker and neater than when done by hand.

Workings years were deep passor of the Westminister Presbyterian Church, declares that he disapproves of this form of punishment for proves of this form of punishment for the ground that it is not presser foot from your machine. Insert workhouse yesterday, Rev. Charles Can-

> lentent manner in imposing the whippings and covering the backs of the prisoners with blankets when possible.

he facts first hand, because Mrs. Ballingon Booth had written to him that she be leved accounts of the Delaware whipping ost were exaggerated.

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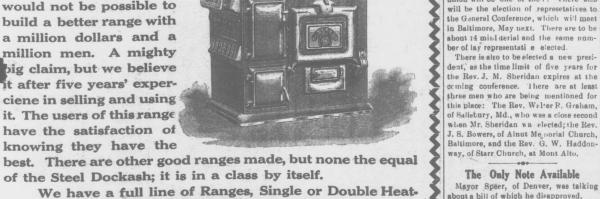
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ont a bill of which he disapproved.
"Why, a bill like that," he said, "The foreman of the Scimitar compos

ng during the winter to survive.

esting and important things to come be-fore the conference. The subject of church

union will be one of then. There also

pieces of heavy, effective lace are put of

Taffet coats are very fashionable es pecially in shot or change able weaves and may be worn as real little outside coat over a frock or as tops to the tailormade skirt. Failies are included among silk suiting and Arcures and a host of other old-time weaves are back again, bidding for favor.

ion. About two years ago, Geo T. Coleman Du Pont, president of the Du Pont Powder Company announced his willingness to build a state road from the Delaware. The surveye for this road have been completed and now General Du Pont The Only Note Available
Mayor Speer, of Denver, was talking \$1,000,000 for his heirs, he will devote the whole of his estate to building solid macadamized roads in Delaware and adwould soon put the city in the condition joining states. The DuPont wealth is es timated at about \$12,000,000, which, supposing the estimate to be correct, mean ng room said to the proprietor one day: that \$11,000,000 will be used for giving "We need a drawer, boss, to put these Delaware the best system of roads, in pro-

\$11,000,000 for Good Roads

In the matter of good roads it seem likely that Delaware will soon be leading ocks in."

portion to area, to be found anywhere in the Union. Gen. DuPout's purpose is to

The above designs are by The McCall Company, New York, Designers and Makers of McCall Patterns. cuffs or ruffles that finish the sleeve ar either plain net, Point d'esprit, or shadow lace; at any rate of some very thin trans Expert truckers and gardeners grow a parent material. Trimmings of velvet ribbon caught down with pearl, gilt or silver buttons are new and pretty. Patchy ANNUAL CONFERENCE MEETS the net lining and show stylishly through the thin outer material, or handsome heavy lace in Macrame or other weaves is put on bretelle fashion over the chiffon. There seems to be much interest in Conference of the Methodist Protestan Church, which will be held next month at Laurel. There are to be many inter-

Long Coats of serge and silk are very much in the running and bib and apron effects are an all sorts of garments.

Lucy Carter

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Let us have an expression of the wishes of the people as to their choice before electing delegates for the National Repullican Convention. Let the State Central Committee call for such an expression by the people's bal-

The people will tolerate no "machine" big roller business in Mr. Taft's behalf. It should excite the livliest suspicion to see a rank Democratic sheet like The Every Evening, eternally booming Taft's nomination. Since when has that paper been promoting the success of the Republican party!

SMYRNA'S LOW TAX RATE

Smyrna, Del., March 1-Smyri a Town Conncil closed the year's administration with a record of which they have every reason to be proud. Out of the receipt of the fiscal year, they have paid out of the receipts \$4,000 to reduce the street improvement note and appropriated \$875 more to extending water mains, buying street sweeper, building a home for it and other improvements, besides paying the the current expenses of the year. When it it considered that Smyrna's tax rate is only 43 cents on the hundred dollars, i is doubtful if there is another town on the

Peninsula that can make such a showing. It was showm that in less than three years the street improvement debt for blocking Main street and macadamizing the other streets, had been reduced from over \$26,000 to \$16,000. The bonded in debtedness of the town is now \$50,000 All the departments showed an earning and increase of business over the prece ing year. The electric light p'ant earned \$1,500.78, the Water Works, \$1,466.72 and the Opera House, \$420 81.

TOWNSEND

Mr. Harvey Daniels, of Wilmingto was in town on Sunday.

Miss Emma Huewes, of Wilmingto was in town on Wednesday. Mrs. W. E. Hart is spending part of

this week with relatives in Philadelphia Mrs. Amanda Quillian spent a few day of last week with relatives in Philade phia.

Mrs. Louise Nile, of Wellsboro, Pa., i spending some time with Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Niles.

Lloyd Knotts and wife, of Wilmingto were over Sunday visitors with their parents here. Mr. Carlton Mac Sorley, of Witming

ton, was entertained by Miss Beulah Hodgeon on Sunday. Mr. end Mrs. Walter Lee and son spen Sunday with J. C. Hutchison Jr., and

wife of near Smyrna. Mrs. J. W. Morris and two children McLaurey. vieited her mother Mrs. Maggie Let 8th Grade-Viola Suith. Mrs. J. W. Morris and two children

Wednesday and Thursday. Mr. and Mrs.J.A. Hart were the gue of Harry Hart and family, of Philadal-

phia, Sunday and Monday. Mrs. George Atwell, of Still Pond, Md returned to her home on Monday after

spending some time with Mrs. Mollie Hart. Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Jones who have been boarding in Wilmington for the

past two months returned to their home on Friday last. Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Collins entertains the Ladies' Aid Society on Tuesday evet-ing. After the business meeting was

over the rest of the evening was spent in music and social conversation, refresh ments were served after which the quest departed, thanking Mrs. Collins' hospi

A Drama entitled "Dot," the Miner Daughter or "One Glass of Wine" will be given in the town hall, Friday evening, March 15th. Proceeds will be applied to the piano fund of the M. E. Sunday

The Cast is as follows: David Mason, a farmer Walter Gil Herbert Mason, David's son just hor from college...... Revnolds Hodgs

Arthur Floyd, villain Sherbin Coffins George Clifton, a returned California Bill Torry, a boatman and Floyds con-

....Roland Revnolds Ebony, a colored individual... Will Navlo Brewster, a policeman.....Leigh Gill Dolores, the Miner's Daughter...Julia Well-Mrs. Clifton, George Clifton's deserted

... Arrelee Lattome Aust Hapzibah, a lady of color Ethe

J. Maloney Admission 25 cents adults. 15 cents fo children. Time 8 P. M.

MR. CLAY RESIGNS

The Rev. Albert E. Clay, vicar of Holy Tririty (Old Swedes) church, has resigned the vicarate to accept an invitation from the Rt. Rev. Philip Rhinelander, Bishop of Pennsylvania, to seeme charge

ODESSA

Miss M. Lewis spent Sunday last with

Mrs. Julia Douglas spent part of la week with Wilmington relatives. Mr. G. C. Boyd, of Wilmington, spen bureday last with relatives here.

Mrs. Leven James was the guest of riends near Leipsic part of this week. Mr. Richard Lightcap, of near Lebano pent Sunday with his father and family. Mrs. Emily McClellen, of Chester, Pa., spending some time with relatives here, Mr. W. W. Caulk, of Wyoming was at ver Sunday visitor with Mrs. A. Berry and family.

Mr. Frank Massey, of Chester, Pa., visied his friend Mr. John Gremminger part of this week.

Miss Frances Aspril, of Wilmington pe t Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Aspril. a Mr. F. D. Raynolds and sister Mis

Annie Reynolds visited Friends in Smyrna one day last week. Mr. William Rhodes, of Camden, N.J.

spent part of last week with his parents

On Thursday evening last the Metho dist Brotherhood held a special business eeting in their parlor at St. Paul's M. E. Church. After the meeting Dr. Henry Smythe gave an illustrated Lecture on his trip to Italy. All who had their pleasure of hearing Dr. Smyth enjoyed it very

The following pleasing program wa rendered at the Annual Missionary meding of St. Pauls M. E. Church, Sunday

ening, March 3rd. inging, Victory eading, Responsive . School and Superin

nging, Launch Away the Life Boat

My Work, Motion Song... Helen McGee Dorothy Beynolds, Catherine Plun. mer, Naomi Morgan and Emily

Webb. citation, Christians do you know Louise McCoy inging, Now is the time......Cass of girls and school.

ecitation, The Whole Wide World forFrancie Helier, Viola Smith, Isabeila Smith and Helen

Waliace Recitation, I Wonder if the Saviour Care Emily Webb and Dorothy Reynolds Singing, Homeward......School Recitation, If Jesus were here.....Ann

Berry, Francis Davis, Alice Brown and Helen Sparke. ecitation, Missions a Message.

Mary Aspril nging, The Wonderful Story... Class and Address... .Rev. J. H. Gray

The class roll was called by the Secreary and the following report was made Clase No. 1—Rev. J. H. Gray......\$50.05 Clase No. 2—Mr. J. G. Brown....... 15.27 Class No. 3-Mrs. J H. Gray ... C ass No. 4 -Miss Helen Townsend 27.7 Class No. 5-Mrs. Urie Ginn...... 8 70 Class No. 6-Mrs. Lee Orrell...... 8.17 Class No. 7-Miss M. Lightcap..... 8 73 Class No. 8-Miss E Eccles 20.47 Class No. 9-Miss Ethel Plummer.. Class No. 16-Primary Department 17.25

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Odessa Public School The following pupils of O lessa Public School have made an average of 90 per cent in attendance, deportment and reci tation for the month of February. 10th Grade-Anna Berry and Walter

9th G.ade-Francis Davis and Grace

7th Grade-Isabelle Smith 6th Grade Helen Sparks, Mildred Phil ips, Oka Wallace and Naomi Morgan. 5th-Emity Webb, Dorothy Reynolds, oseph Kumple and Kenneth Rhodes. 4th Grade-William Shetzler and Ann

2d. Grade -Helen Magner and Catho ne Plummer. 1st Grade-Clara Thornton

Primer - Karl Morris and Helen Muhl

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POSTPONED Public Sale

The undersigned intending to discontinue farming, will sell at Public Sale on the farm where he now resides, known as the Dr. J. C. McCoy, 1 miles east of Summit Bridge, Delaware, on the road leading from Summit Bridge to St. Georges.

MONDAY MARCH, 11, 1912 At 10 c'clock A. M., The following described personal property to-wit:

9 HEAD OF HORSES & COLTS

No. 1. Klondike, bay horse, 13 years
old. This horse has been my driver for

ten years; in fact has been everybody's driver, and still looks like a three year old.

No. 2 Noru an, bay horse, 5 years old will work any where you put him, and this equal is hard to find. Always ready to do his beet.

No. 3. Linda, black mare, 12 years old. She is as good as any man owns terest no goof farm purposes.

of St. Anna's Mission, Fifty-sixth and Market streets, West Philadelphia. The Rev. Mr. Can, will take his new charge on May I.

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No. 9. Lorewood, bay colt, 8 months old. very fine.

CATTLE

Eighteen head of thoroughbred and Grade Holsteins. Consisting of 12 high-grade milkers. Some of these cows have calves by their side, and balance close of ragers. Also 4 Holstein heifers from the best cows I own, 2 of them yearlings and 2 five months old. Two Holtsein Bulls, one 2 years and one 15 months old.

old.

HOGS:—12 head of Hogs, 3 Brood Sows as fine as there are in the State; 8 Shoats, will weigh about 50 lbs. each; 1 thoroughbred O. I. C. Boar, 1 year old.

POULTRY:—150 Laying Hens and 15 Roosters, 5 Turkey Hens and 1 Gobler, 3 Puddle Ducks and 1 Drake, 2 Geese and 1 Gander, also a number of Guineas, and 4 Muscovy Ducks and 1 Drake.

Farming Utensils Etc. Two farm wagons, in good order; beering binder, good as new; 1 Bickfor Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rhodes.

Miss Elizabeth Fox who has been spending some time with friends in Camden, N. J., has returned home.

Miss Alice McCoy, of Wilmington, spent several days last week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John McCoy.

On Thursday evening last the Metho ary, I milk wagon and pole, 1 corn sheller l grain fan, 75 grain sacke, 2 straw knives briar and weed scythes, 2 bushel baskets, one, two, three and four horse trees, forks ovels, hoes and a number of things no

herein mentioned.

CARRIAGES and HARNESS:—Oue top buggy, new, made by Burus Bros., and used only a few times; 1 top buggy, in good order; 1 road cart, 3 sets of single caariage harness, one set new; 2 sets of wagon harness, one set new; 8 work collars, cood as new; 8 work bridles, good as new; 10 leather head I afters, 10 sets of plow harness, 10 stable bunkets.

MEAT:—Lot of side meat, 400 pound-of hams and shoulders, also 75 buskets of white potatoes and 50 bushels turnips, yellow globe; also lot of household goods.

Terms of Sale

On all sums of \$20.00 and under, the

On all sums of \$20.00 and under, the Cash will be required; on all sums over that amount a credit of nine (9) months will be given by purchasergiving banksble note with approved endorser. Intest added from day of sale Positively no goods to be removed until terms are complied with complied with.

J. T. RHOADES EUGENE RACINE, Auctioneer. C. H. SALMONS and H. D. CONNER, Clerks.

ADMINISTRATORS' SALE

-0F-**Personal Property**

The undersigned, administrators of the late James A. Mullin, deceased will sell at Public Sale, at his late residence, one-half mile west of Middletown,

WEDNESDAY, MAR. 13, '12 At 10 o'clock, A. M., sharp, The following Personal Property, tc-wit:

SIXTEEN HEAD Horses, Colts, Mules

No. 1.—Delbrack, black horse, 5 vears old. A No. 1 driver.
No. 2.—Belle, bay mare, 6 years old. By Torino, with foal by Prince March. Fine driver and a promising brood nare.
No. 3.—Lightfoot, dark brown horse, by Torino, 8 years old. A good work horse.

orse. No. 4.—Fancy, bay mare, 15 years old.

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No. 5.—Rath, gray mar., 15 yea s old. A mate for No. 4. A good work mare.

No. 6.—Torino, bay mare, 7 years old, by Torino, with foal by Cauik's horse, a No. 1 work mare and a good brood mare.

No. 7.—Nancy, sorrel mare, 7 years old, by Torino, a fine brood mare and a good work mare, with foal by Cauik's horse.

No. 8.—Bertie, bay mare, coming 3 years old, by Bohemia Bov. A very promising mare. Should make a fine old, by Bohemia Boy. A very sing mare. Should make a fine

driver.

No. 9.—Jack, gray horse, 8 years old, a good driver and a No. 1 work horse.

No. 10.—Maid, brown mare 13 years old a good work mare and as good a brood work horse in the country. Has mare as there is in the country. Has

nare as there is in the country. Has raised some very fine coits.

No. 11.—Tom, bay horse, 5 years old, by Torino, a good driver and a No. 1 work horse.

No. 12.—Baron, bay celt, coming 3 years old, by Baron Larabie. Should nake a very fine driver.

No. 13.—Iron gray colt, 2 years old. Sired by Cauik's horse.

No. 14.—Iron gray colt, 1 year old, own brother to No. 13, should make a good team.

team.

No. 15 — Jenny, odd mule, 8 years old, und a good one. Fine size.

No. 16 — Yearling coit, out of Belle, by Prince March. A great big colt for its age and a half brother to R. T. C.

Cattle

Twenty Head of Fne Young Milch Cows and helfers. Some close springers. One Holstein Bull, coming 2 years old.

HOGS Seven Fine Brood Sows. Some of which will have pigs by day of sale. One Thoroughbred O. I. C. Boar Hog, and a fine one. Sixteen Head of Fine Shoats.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS Three good farm wagons, 3 good iggings, 2 McCormick binders, in orde; I McCormick mower, in good of der; I U. S. corn planter, in good order; Pennsylvania grain drill, in good order der; 1 C. S. corn Patter, in good order; a Penneylvania grain drill, in good order; a Penneylvania grain drill, in good order, 11 spouts, 1 good roller, wood, 1 corn curter, in good order; 1 good bay rake, 1 good diec harrow, 2 good sulky cultivators, 3 No. 40 Oliver plows, 1 one-horse plow, 2 good spring-tooth harrows, 1 good 70 tooth harrow, 1 good dearborn, 1 sleigh, 1 York carriage, almost new; 1 rubber tire buggy, 1 set of carriage harness, 1 set of dearborn harness, 3 sets of wagon harness, 12 sets of plow harness, 16 good collars, 13 good bridles, 1 good saddle, 1 grindstone, 4 hedge knives, 1 six-horse tree, 2 four-horse trees, 4 three-horse trees, 6 two-horse trees, 12 single trees, 1 Half-bashel measure, 3 farm shovels, tot of corn knives, 1 cross-out saw, 1 ice hook, lot of spades, shovels and forks, 1 post spud, 2 grass scythes, 1 lawn mower, 1 drawing knife, 1 hay fork and rope, lot of barrels, cow chains, kitchen utensits and many other articles.

ther articles.

MEATS—Sugar cured hams and shoulers, side meat and 4 cans lard. All of our interest in 190 Acres of Wheat in ground.

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J. C. ALSTON,

IN CHANCERY,
NEW CASTLE COUNTY, 88
CAUSE OF PARTITION. Harry T. Preston.

E la O. Preston, et al. La pursuance of an order of the Chan-bellor in the above cause made on the chird day of January, A. D. 1912, all persons having any lum or liens affecting persons having any hen or hens affecting the interest of estate of Harry T. Preson, Semnel W. Preston E'la O Preston, Grabam A. Preston and Samuel A. Preston, or either of them, in the lands and premises to which said came relate, are nereby notified to five a petition setting orth the saure and amount of the saure or New Castle County, TEN days before the fourth Mo day is March, A. D 1912, and to appear and prove said then or least to the ensuing term of the Court, before he rising of the Court on the third day of the term. of the term.

JAMES H. HUGHES Trustee
Wilming'an, Del., Much 7th, 1912.

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Going North—7.25 a, m., 10.05, a.m., 4.05, p.m., m. and 8 p. m.
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For Odessa—7.00 a. m., 8.30 a m., 11.30 a. m., 50 p. m.
For Warwick, Cecilton and Earlzille 9.20 a. m. and 4.55 p. m.

MIDDLETOWN, DEL., MARCH 9, 1912

#### LOCAL NEWS

Wagons and Dearborns for sale.
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The best steak, roasts, lamb and veal, a W. C. Jones'.

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HORSES CLIPIED-I wish to inform the public that I am prepared to clip horses in an up-to-date manner on short J. Z. CROSSLAND, Middletown Hotel Stables

FOR SALE-Locust, Chestnut, White Oak and Cedar feuce posts. Also shed, hitching and gate posts. Fire wood by the load. M. Marshall, Fieldsboro, Del

After October first, the library hour will be:—Tuesdays, 3 30 to 5; Fridays, 7 to 8 30; Saturdays 3 to 5. The library will be open on Tuesday evenings for school children exclusively.

FRESH MILK-I have made arrange ents with Mr. John Heldmyer Jr., to handle my milk, where old customers or new ones can get same at all hours of the

March 13 - Administrators Sale, Stock and Implements of James A. Mullin. Horses and cows young, all good size and well bred. Come look them over, buy this stock late and save feed and money.

Unclaimed Letters-The following list of letters remains unclaimed in the post-office for the week ending Feb. 29th: Mrs. Jannie Truiet, S. Cleise Jr., Charley Davis and A. Pyner.

A special collection amounting to som Presbyterian church on Sunday morning after the services. The money will be used to pay the church debt.

Miss Lenora Pavis very pleasantly en-tertained the "Bachelor Club" last Friday evening at her home on Gree

The young men of Middletown wil give their annual Easter dance in the Opera House on Tuesday evening, April 9th. The First Infantry orchestra of Wilmington will furnish the music.

Mr. Harry Segelken has purchased the Reynolds house on South Broad street, now occupied by Mr. Hiram Woolford, Mr. Segelken will move to his new home on March 25th.

#### Real Estate Sale

Mr. John B. Steller, of Steller Brothe bakers here, has purchased the store, and dwelling and the 20 acres of land at Taylor's Bridge of Mr. Abram Staats who has place for over 34 years past. Mr. Steller has also bought the entire stock of goods and will continue the business at the same stand. THE TRANSCRIPT wishes Mr.

Mr. Statts will go to live with one o his sons i . Camden, N. J., he having recently lost his wife by death. Mr. Staats is a fine good citizen and the community can ill afford to lose him. The Transcript hopes he may evily life in his new

#### Century Club Notes

A very interesting session of the New Century Cinb was held on Tuesday afterprogram was in charge of Mrs. Mary Cochran Pool who gave current events. Mrs. E. C. Shepherd read an article about Associate Justice Pitney, of New Jersey; Mrs. C. A. Hoffecker gave "The Father of Aviation," Mrs. Charles Derrickson told about "The coal dug on the banks of the Susquebanua;" Mrs. George Derrick-son spoke of "Woman Suffrage" and Miss Hester Jones read about "The Relics of the Great South West."

The program for next Tuesday will be man of the Library Committee.

Store Improvements Several more handsome floor counter with beveled glass tops have been put in and a large amount of new shelving built on the west end of our store. These improvements have been made necessary by business. We must have greater facilities

And these new cases very properly are filled with new goods as handsome as the cases themselves. Come in and see both. Then see the Fogel & Burstan ad about their Big Hosiery Sale.

#### FARMER'S INSTITUTE

Bills are out for the Farmer's Institute to be held next Tuesday, the 12th, in the Town Halt in Middletown. There will be both an afternoon and evening session, and on both occasions the finest program ever offered the republic will be pre-

Before the afternoon program begins in he Town Hail, there will be given in Cochran Square at 1 o'clock sharp an exhibition by Mr. D. R. Merritt, a profes sional horse trainer from Dover, of the

way to break a colt or a fractious horse.

At 1 30 in the Hall, Mr. W. O. Collins, an expert corn planter from the Eastern shore of Maryland, will discuss the plant ing and growing of that cereal. Mr. D. R. Merritt, a native of Maine, but four years a resident of this state, and an authority on potato growing, will tell all about the art and make a comparison of the methods

in Maine and Delaware. Mrs. F. C. Snyder, of Newport, a lady well versed in canning fruits and vegetables, will discuss that subject in an interesting manner. Prof. A. E. Grantham of Delaware College will give one of his pro-fi able talks on the Soy bean as a fertilizer

In the evening at 7 30 Prof. Hayward Director of the State Experiment Station, vill give an illustrated lecture on dairying Then Prof. McCue, of the Horticultural Dept. of the College, will tell about growing tomatoes for the canneries. Mrs. F Snyder will next talk to the farmers wives about chickens, how to raise and

treat them.

Mr. F. C. Bancroft, of Wyoming, an expert and sucessful apple grower, will discuss the apple question in a profitable

ion Box" which all desiring information on any farming topic, are requested patronize by writing out their questions and placing therein. At the close of each on the questions will be read and an-

This will surely be a real red letter day or Middletown and its farmers for many niles around. All should be present.

#### RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

and Condolence on The Death of Broth John A. Jolls

At a regular communication of Union odge, No. 5, A. F. and A. M., held March 5, 1912, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adop

WHEREAS, it has pleased the Great Arhitect of the Universe to remove from our midst our late brother, John A. Joll;

Resolved, By Union Lodge, No. 5, that the will of the Most High, we do not the to his final destination ess mourn for our brother who has been taken from us.

Resolved. That in the death of John A olls, this Lodge laments the loss of a bro ther who was ever ready to proffer the and of aid and the voice of sympathy to the needy and distressed of the fraternity n active member of this society, who utmost endeavors were exerted for its welfare and prosperity; a friend and compaon to us all.

Resolved, That the heartfelt sympath of this Lodge be extended to his famil n their affliction.

Resolved, That these resolutions h pread upon the records of the Lodge, and copy thereof be transmitted to the fam

ly of our deceased brother, and to each o the newspapers of Middletown.

HENRY A. PERKINS, JOHN C. BURTON,

Jos. L. GIBSON,

Committee

#### TRIED TO TAKE HIS LIFE

An incident occurred on Monday ever ing which has excited no little sympathy who was the principal.

It seems that with young Mr. Clarence Davis, who works with Mr. William ergaged in store keeping at that Shockley on the John W. Watkins farm not run smooth," for on the evening in nestion, in a fit of despondency over his heart affair, he took a deadly dose of laudanum. He was half unconscious when Dr. Joseph Carrow who was hastily sent for, reached him. Luckily for him the drug had not had time to exert its full toxic effects, and the doctor after administering an antagonistic dose of atropine hypodermically was able to ouse the unfortunate youth out of his stal stupor, and soon thereafter to put him quite out of danger. The young man is highly estimated in the community

and no doubt regrets his rash act. We of course, know nothing about the merits of this affaire de coeur, whether noon. After a brief business meeting, the the fair Chloe was to blame or not; nor ndeed, if she were, whether she relents at view of the possible effects of her actio her certainly ardent suitor; but this w do know, "there's as good fish in the see as ever were caught," and the lone fisher man's ill luck one day, may be followed by a prize catch the next.

#### ASSAULT AND FIGHT

On Saturday evening two colored women got into a squabble—over a man they say—in Mr. L. V. Kirk's store, and went at it hammer and tongs, one of them named Sarah Williams knocking the other one down and stamping her into insensibility. The injured won an was carried into Dr. Norman Beal's office where she was revived after two hours.

The Williams woman fled to a house of Mr. John Carpenter on the Levels and arraingned before Squire Cox who fined ber \$4 00 and costs.

Later in the night six colored men got Atwell, got three of them after a running daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William fight. With a team and constable John Bramble, was probably fatally burned at Wild Geese Shot

Still another Nimrod in MiddletowLast week our liveryman Mr. W. W. hid in a loft and sat on the trap door

Dickinson, the chief went after the others
and caught Williams Summers on the
N lan farm, Garfield Berry surrendered
himself and paid his fine. One of the men
himself and paid his fine. One of the men
himself and paid his fine. One of the men
her dr.ss caught fire. With her gar-Allen, his two sons and a third gentle- until the chief suggested shooting through ments enveloped in flames the girl rand man, went hunting near Earleville, Md. it, when he got off promptly. All five screaming from the house and started friends.

#### OUR FRIENDS AND VISITORS

Personal Items About People You See and Know Mr. C. P. Cochran was a Philadelphia

isitor Friday. Miss Elsie Byron spent severa with relatives in Philadelphia.

Miss R. E. Culp head-trimmer of Foge Burstan, will be here Monday.

James H. Burnham, of Brooklyn, N. J. visited relatives here last Sunday.

Mrs. Martha Adkins, of St. Elmo, Va. spent several days with friends in town. Mrs. Lydia Donalson, of Wilmington s spending some time with friends here. William Gore, of Cambridge, Md., was

Miss Virginia E. Jones, of Lititz, Va. spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Ma-

Mrs. Curtis Millman, of Woodside, wa on Monday. Norman P. Crouch, of Wilmington

spent Sunday with his wife who is visitng relatives bere. Ephraim P. Jolls, of Newark, is spend ing several days with his parents, Mr.

and Mrs. J. C. Jolls. R. Lawrence Taylor has accepted position in Havre de Grace, Md., and left

for that place on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Davis and Miss Mary West were Sunday visitors with rel-

atives near Taylor's Bridge. Mrs. Joseph C. Parker has gone spend some time with relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. Richard H. Adams, of arpstown, Md. were at the home of their daughter Mrs. John A Jolla-this week. Mrs. J. M. Arthurs. Misses Sylvia A. nd Susan E. Arthurs went on Thu afternoon to Kenton to visit Mr. and Mrs.

John W. Arthurs. Mrs. E. C. Green and daughter Miss Eliza, have returned after spending some time in Washington, D. C., Baltimore

Md., and Wilmington. Misses Pearl and Ruth Gardner, who nave been spending several weeks with besides assisting in the scriptural read-elatives and friends returned to their ings and prayers. ome in Centreville, Md., on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Merritt N Willits and ildren and Mr. Horatio N. Willits of Philadelphia, spent last Sunday with their father Merritt N. Willits and

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Price entertained Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Walker, of Wilmington, and Mr. and Mrs. Grant Rowbotham and little daughter, Margaret, of

Philadelphia, over Sunday. Mr. J. G. Bragdon leaves on Saturday cognition of his many virtues should be and; therefore be it for a visit to his son who recently went to will there take steamer for the port of Corhile we bow with humble submission to lon from whence he goes by train again

#### A FATAL FALL

A sad accident befel a very worthy and well known citizen of our state, living near Mt. Pleasant, when last Friday after on Mr. Dallas B. Lore while looking for mething on the second floor of his barn. fell through an open trap door and striking some machinery beneath, was instant-

He was at once carried into the bouse by some laborers and Dr. Norman

Philip Workman, of Wilmingto

L. Beale of Middletowd was sent for. The

Mr. Mallalieu, of Millington, Md. doctor found upon his arrival that Mr. Lore was dead—that his death had undoubtedly been instantan

The unfortunate event is greatly deplor ed since Mr Lore was a highly respected citizen. He was a large man and noted for his strength and agiling. In his earlier days, when the tournament joustings were often a prize winner, being a very expert

He leaves a wife and seven children. His funeral was held Monday afternoon, at his late home and interment made in Bethel Cemetery.

Young Men's Dance The young men of Middletown on Saturday evening, in the hall of the New Century Club, gave a select dance to their lady friends in the town and vicin ty. Piano music was rendered by Miss

Lena Pleasanton for the dancing The committee that arranged the affair co oprised Clarence George and Benjamin Gibbs, and the following ladles and gentlemen participated: Misses Madelaine Penington, Lenora Davis, Emma Penington and Estelle Beasten, of Middletown Miss Laura Belle Kennerley, of Harring ton; Miss Margaret Hanson of Yonkers N. Y., Miss Alma Bryson of near Middle town; Ralph Shallcross, Mailley Davis, Clarence George, Wallace Daniels, W. Tailor Barnett, Joseph Griffith, Frank Richards and Ber jamin Gibbs, of Middle town; William Weods of Odessa; Mr. Murphy of Harrington.

#### TOWN ELECTION

Pursuant to the notice given, a town ection was held on Monday in Middletown in which two town comp serve for two years were Messrs. S. Edward Lewis and Joseph Hanson, the former being unopposed and Mr. Hanson beating his contestant, Edward S. Jones, by 48 votes; John S. Crouch, cashier of the Citizens National Bank, on the "Citizens" and the "Peoples" ticket, was elected town treasurer, Spencer S. Holten, won over John A. Cleaver by 36 votes as assessor, and Alfred G. Cox Miss Mamie Boulden, of Hayfe de Grace, over Daniel W. Stevens as Alderman. is spending this week with her sister Mrs. Commissioners S. E. Lewis 103, E. S. Engene Thornton Jones 43, Joseph Manson 91. Treasurer John S. Crouch 134 Assessor Spencer S. Holten 86, J. A. Cleaver 50. man Alfred G. Cox 75, D. W. Stevens 59. 137 votes cast.

#### Child is Burned

During the absence of her mother, who

for wild geese, and out of ten big white fives brought near them by their wooden decays, the four shot six, which is not bad.

Were fined \$3.00 a piece and costs, except down the street. John Townsend, a fives brought near them by their wooden decays, the four shot six, which is not bad.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Thomas, of Newark, neighbor, threw an overcoat around the blazing child, smothering out the flames. She is in a critical condition.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Thomas, of Newark, spent the week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Byers and where given quite a serinade on Saturday night.

#### BOY SHOT SCHOOL CLERK

On Tuesday afternoon a 15 year old boy attending the public school at Su Bridge proved so incorrigible that his teacher was lorced to call upon Mr. Charles Fox the clerk of the school District to

Mr. Fox ordered the boy to learn the school, whereupon he drew a revolver and fired point blank at Mr. Fox the bullet strking him in the left breast very near the heart, passing through the flesh of his left hand between the thumb and

the first finger. But for the fortunate circumsta that the bullet struck the buckle of Mr. Fox's suspenders and was thus deflected, it is probable that it would have resulted fatally. The bullet after striking the buckle fell to the floor.

After the lad had been finally ejected he fired another shot through the door. The boy was arrested and taken before Squire Jones of St Georges who fined him the guest of her mother, Mrs. Rosa Weber \$10 —an act which was wholly outside of his powers as a justice of the peace.

> facts laid them before the Attorney Gen eral who is exoected to take some proper action in the matter. He has already put the case in the hands of State Detective The bad conduct of this boy it is said.

had previously caused another teacher to

Mr. H. C. Ellison upon learning the

He is said to be known for his cruelty to animals. His parents are living at Summit Bridge. It would seem to be a clear case for the House of Correction. One wonders if his parents knew that he was in the habit of carrying a concealed deadly weapon. If so, some sound pater nal walloping might have cured him o

#### grime that so nearly proved a tragedy. FUNERAL OF JOHN A. JOLLS

The obsequies of John A. Jolls were eld on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock from his late residence on North Cass street, by Rev. Vaughan S. Collins, William H. Hutchins and Francis H. Moore D. D. each of whom made appropriate remarks,

Mrs. Helen Armstrong, Mrs. J. Cowgil Alston, Miss Gunkel of Warwick, Md. Samuel Price assisted by Rev. Vaughan S. Collins, sang "Rock of Ages" and "What a Gathering." Miss Gunkel sang a solo "Meet Me There," the others and

these present joining in the chorus. Flowers of great beauty and price were furnished in a bewildering profusion o carnations, roses, sweet peas, lilies, narcissus and hyacinths, among others 15 or 20 elaborate pieces, such as a large quare design given by the Masons, a handsome pillow "Our Brother," from his brother Joseph C. Jolls and family, a wreath by his workers in the office, cross by his wife and many more of great beauty. The further services which were according to the Masonic ritual, were concluded at the grave in Forest

Cemetery, where interment was made.

The bearers were Messrs. William halicross, Joshua Z. Crossland, Paul B. Messick, Glen Penington, John Scarborough and Walter S. Leatherbury. A large number of strangers were present Sharpstown, Md.; Ira Owens of Perry-Philip Workman, of Wilmington; and freshments of lemonade and cake were

#### "THE MOVIES" FIRE PROOF

Every possible precaution againt fice i sed in Mr. Newman's well arranged moving picture booth. The machiner so common in the country side, he was that can burn-and the films themselves are entirely enclosed in tight iron boxes with automatic gravity closing doors. All the electric connections are also in-clused in iron boxes; and the wires lead-

ing to the light are incased in asbesto and so made fire proof. Then the whole booth itself is lined with asbestos and even if a film should catch fire it could not possibly set the booth on fire; indeed the two little wooden stands could be burnt un in the boot pipe methods of insulation cover the lectric wiring, and in no event could any langer to the building or audience arise

rom such a cause. Finally, the booth has a stout sheet iron floor. In a word, if the whole booth inside

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C. C. Club last Tuesday evening. half dozen times before it could reach the

No better proof of all this than that the underwriters have paid Mr. Newman the compliment of saying that his whole arrangement is the finest and best protected in every way against fire of any noving picture show south of Wilming

The public, we believe, can be absolute ly assured on the score of safety from fire in attending these fine exhibitions.

#### CHESAPEAKE CITY

Miss Alice Hopper visited Philadelphia iends this week.

We are sorry to report Mr. Waitman mithers on our sick list. Miss Lydie Sagers, of Baltimore, visited

er parents here this week. Mrs. Ida Bouchelle spent the past week with her daughter Mrs. Frank S. Clayton near town.

Mr. Henry Byers has opened a grocery

store adjoining his home. We wish him success in his enterprise. Miss Agnes Davidson was the recen guest of her school-mate, Miss Beulah Jewell, near Mt. Pleasant.

A "social" was given by several ladies of the Presbyterian Church at the home into a lively mix up on North Broad street, and Chief Hilyard and officer tive in town, Rebecca, the 9 year old

Invitations were received by several o

our town girls to a Leap Year Dance to be given in Mechanic Hall, Elkton, the Mrs. Beauchamp has returned home

#### WARWICK

Judge R. B. Merritt spent Tuesday in Mrs. Mollie Manlove, of Cecilton, is

visiting in town. Mrs. D. P. King Jr. was a town visitor on Tuesday last.

Rev. and Mrs. G. J. Hill spent Tuesday with Sassafras friends. Mrs. Urie Ginn, of Mt. Pleasant, was a

caller in town on Tuesday. Mr. Samuel King and Miss Lena King isited Galena relatives several days last Fanny Gu week. Misses Ethel and Eula Vinyard visited

heir mother Mrs. Verena Vinyard on Sunday. Mr. W. B. Lofland, of Philadelphia sisited his mother, Mrs. Mary A. Lofland on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Evans, of Middle own, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs Elwood Brown. Mr. and Mrs. John L. Lattomus, of near

Wilmington, were the guests of friends here Saturday and Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lipscomb, of Wil n.ington, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs.Robert Lipscomb. Preaching Sunday morning at 10.30 A M. followed by Holy Communion. All are cordially invited to attend the ser

The "Mite Society" will hold its regular usiness meeting on Friday evening next, March 15th, at the home of Mrs, William

Vinyard. Mr. W. R. Rodney Price left town las Saturday for Tome Institute, Port Depos-t, Md., where he will take up a special ourse for several months.

An entertainment and oyster and poul try supper will be given in the P. O. S. o A. Hall, on Thursday and Friday evening March 28th and 29th. The benefit of the

#### M. P. Church.

PORT PENN Mrs. Ethel Yearsley is making a visi with Wilmington friends. Norris Townsend was an over Sunda

sitor with Philadelphia friends. Miss Myrtle Voshell every ed ove unday her cousin Miss Margaret Spicer, Miss Lillian Fisher entertained ove

Chursday last her friend Miss Alice Saxon, of Delaware City. J. M. Bendler and son Alvin, of Baltinore, were the guests of his parents A. Bendler and wife over Sunday.

H. M. Faunce and wife entertained on unday his sister Mrs. William Hildrebrand and Miss Emmma Oakes, of Delaware City. Sunday night is Junior night in the

Christian Endeavor. The Juniors will meet on Friday night for rehearsel. Ernest Hickman will lead the meeting. The ladies of our village gave a dance party in the hall on Thursday evening last. A number from Townsend and

pressed themselves as having a good time Mrs. Ollie Voshal tendered her little laughter Myrtle a surprise party on Satong others Rev. Richard H. Adams of urday night in honor of her twelfth birth prystown, Md.; Ira Owens of Perryday. Miss Myrtle received several little ville, Md.; William Carpenter, of near gifts from her play mates and after spend Newark; Charles H. Jolls, of Wyoming; ing the evening in games and music. Re-

# served abundantly.

CECILTON Mr. George Morgan, Jr., has been visi ing relatives in Baltimore.

Miss Janie Smith is the guest of Kent Co. Md., relatives. Miss Arriettia Cruikshank is visiting er sister, Mrs. R. Bond, of near Port

Mrs. A. C. Wilson and daughter Katherine, of Baltimore, are spending some time with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. D.

Boulden. Nr. and Mrs. James Pierce, of near assafras, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allie Pierce on Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Boyles visited relatives Mrs. Elwood Padl-y, of near Warwick, visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. H.

Alderson on Friday. Mr. J. D. Beltz was an Elkton visito last Thursday. Miss Mary Blackway entertained the

Miss Annie Rickards who has been pending sou e time with her sister Miss Mary E. Rickards has returned to Phil-

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Davis spen Friday of last week with Mr. and Mre. L. B. Manlove. Mr. Thomas Murry of Middletown

as in town on Monday. Messrs. C. V. Hoover and William Brown Ja, were Chesapeake City visitors ast Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. P. Smith entertaine Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Alderson, Mrs. J. A. Smith, Mrs. Lizzie Beed, and Miss Mollie Rickards at dinner on Thursday of last week.

#### NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS APPOQUINIMINK HUNDRED

The taxable residents of Appoquinimink Hundred, and all persons liable to pay tax in said Hundred, are hereby notified that the Taxes for the year 1911 are now due, and the undersigned Tax Collector for said Hundred, will be AT THE OFFICE OF GEORGE M. D. HART,

IN TOWNSEND, DEL., EVERY SATURDAY, During MARCH, 1912, From 1 to 5 o'clock, P. M. Tax bills can be obtained by making personal application to the Collector, or by sending written communication enclosing stamps.

EXTRACT FROM THE LAWS OF DELAWARE, GOVERNING THE COLLECTION OF TAXES OF NEW CASTLE COUNTY, SECTION 3, CMAPTER 30, VOLUME 21, LAWS OF DELAWARE, AS

Section 3—That on all taxes paid before the first day of October there shall be an batement of five per centum. On all axes paid before the first day of December there shall be an abatement of three per centum. On all taxes paid during the nonth of December there shall be no batement whatever. And on all taxes upaid on the first day of January five per centum thereof shall be added the per centum thereof shall be added the per centum thereof shall be added the per centum thereof shall be added to collect all taxes to collect all taxes are the collect are the collect all taxes are the collect are the For Receiver of Taxes and County WILLIAM C. MONEY,

#### BLACKBIRD

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McCov spet Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Fortner. Miss Ethel Fenemore is visiting he sister Miss Clara Fenemore, of St

Mr. W. W. Catts returned to his home in Sharptown N. J., Saturday, Mr. W.L. Reynolds Jr., accompanied him.

Epworth League will be lead on Sunday evening by Mrs. G. C. Heinold. "The Universal Refuge in Every Extremity a Loving God". Thieves entered the hennery of Mrs. Fanny Guessford last Monday night and took about 2 dozen of her best Plymouth Rock hens only having purchased them a short time before.

#### Sales to Take Place

Tuesday, March 12th 1912-Public sale of stock, farming implements by C. C. Vail, in Dutch Neck, on the read leading to Delaware City. H. Buckson, auction-

Wedneday, March 13, 1912.—Public Sale of Stock, farming implements, etc., of the late James A. Mullin on the Derrickson farm, one mile weet of Middletown. March 21, 1912-Sale of horses and cattle at Bear station, by Joseph Quigley. G. E. Davis, auctioneer.

#### **POSTPONED** Public Sale

The undersigned will sell at public sale, at his stables, on Main Street, Smyrna Del.

THURSDAY, MARCH 14, '12 At 10 o'clock A. M., consisting of 150 HEAD OF Horses and Mules

pest.

No. 2. Bay Horse, 16 hands high, 5 rears old weighs 1100 pounds, extra wellproken single or double.

No. 3. Chestnut Sorrel Mare, 5 years old, 16 hands high, wheigh 1150 pounds, proken in all harness, good saddler, is a handsome mare.

broken in all harness, good saddler, is a handsome mare.

No. 4. Snow White Mare, 5 years old, 15½ hands high, weighs 1000 pounds, nice saddle mare and kind in all harness.

No. 5. Dark Sorrel Mare, 7 years old, 15½ hands high, weighs 1000 pounds, kind in all harness.

No. 6. Pair Chestnut Sorrel Mares, 5 and 7 years old, 15½ hands high, weigh 1000 pounds each, broken in all harness, but are sore and city gaited.

No. 7. Roan Mare, 10 years old, 15½ hands high, weighs lands high, weighs 1000 pounds, kind in all harness.

all harnes.

No. 8. Bay Mare, 8 years old, 16½ hands high, can step a forty gait and can drive as far in as short a time as any man's horse. Have used her in my harness for 11 months. She has made 60 miles in one day lots of times.

No. 9. Roan Stallion, 5 years old, 15 hands high, weighs 800 pounds, well bred, very handsome.

One Carload, 22 Head of Horses

and Mares Ranging in age from 4 to 8 years reighing from 900 to 1100 pounds. These horses are brought off farms in Iowa, will be shipped direct to me and will pass through no horse markets where they might become infected with distemper or selected by a good a judge as the country

Carload of Mules, 28 Head Carload of Mules, 20 nead
Direct from farms in Missouri. These
mules range in age from 4 to 6 years,
weighing from 2200 to 2600 pounds a
pair, as good as etands on the mil, the
kind you never had an opportunity to
buy. I will pay to any man \$1,000 who
can show he ever had a carload of these
kind south of Philadelphia.

15 Pair Mules

From this neighborhood, ranging in age from 4 to 10 years, weighing from 900 to 1100 pounds, a good straight bunchof mules. Also, 30 Head Horses and Mules That have been wintered rough in the barn yard on fodder and rough hav. This stock is, of course, rough coated, but are all young and good.

The above described prop

on exhibition at my place of business on and after March 2nd. Will be pleased to have you call and examine same. While I don't, or never do guarantee any horse or mule to be sound, I wish to call your attention to the fact, that there is more sound horses and mules in this bunch than any you have ever seen of his size.
Positively no horses sold for other

people.

Any horse sold to be kind is subject to he test at the heavy cart, which is used by no other dealer outside of the pittes. If there is anything crooked about a horse he had better be kept from this Parade at 9 o'clock A. M.

There will be a street parade clock to show the stock immediater which the sale will take place. Free Lunch Served Band
NOTICE—All the above stock is here and more too, the finest lot ever shown in Smyrna. I extend an invitation to all horsemen and those needing stock to come and see this exceptional exhibit between now and day of sele.

TERMS-Eight Months

#### W. H. COLLINS. Mutual Loan

The Thirty-Ninth Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Mutual Loan Association of Middletown, Delaware, will be held in the office of the secretary, on Tuesday, evening, March 19th, 1912, at 7 o'clock, for the purpose of electing a President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer, to serve One Year, and Three Directoas to serve Three Years. The books are now open for the Sale of 40th Series of Stock. Application can be made to the secretary who will furnish any desired information.

Alfred G. Cox. Secretary

#### Alfred G. Cox, Secretary FINAL School Tax Notice!

At a meeting of the School Board Monday evening, a resolution was passed compelling me as Collector of School Taxes for the year 1911, to settle in full on or before April 1st. In order to protect my bondsmen and myself, I will be compelled to collect all taxes according to law if not settled before the above date.

D. W. STEVENS, Collector.

May 7th. 1912.

Robert M. Burns ubject to the decision of the Republi

#### CALL FOR Town Meeting

Pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 220, Volume 26, Laws of Delaware, "The Journissioners of the Town of Middle-own," hereby give public notice of a Cown Meeting, to be held at the Town Office of D. W. Stevens

#### TOWN OF MIDDLETOWN New Castle County, Delaw Saturday, March 16, '12

From I to 4 o'clock, P. M.,
Which said meeting is called for the
urpose of deciding whether or not "The
Oommissioners of the Town of Middle
own" shall have power and authority to ass an Ordinance to borrow, on the fait and credit of said Town, the sum of TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS, (\$10,000.) and issue bonds therefore, to be applied, appropriated and expended in the imaccording to the provisions of said Act at which said meeting every resident of Middletown aforesaid, male and female who shall have paid Town Tax for the year in which such meeting is held, or for the preceding year, shall have the right to cast one vote for every dollar and every fractional part of a dollar of Town Taxes aforesaid; by him or her paid.

W. J. WILSON, President. W. J. WILSON, President JOSEPH HANSON, Secretary. Middletown, Del., Feb. 29th, 1912.

Middletown, Del., Feb. 29th, 1912.

A3 above noticed, the Town Commissioners have decided to put it to a vote of the resident taxpayers as to whether they are for or against the raising of money by a bond issue, the same to be used improving our streets. The proposed improvements are as follows:—Macadamize Broad Street its entire width, or from gutter to gutter from Mrs. Shalleross to J. Z. Crosslands and sixteen feet wide from the above places north and south to the town limits.

Macadamize East Main Street its entire width or from gutter to gutter from the west eide of the Square to Catharine Street and sixteen feet wide from Catharine Street east to the town limits. An estimate of the cost of the above proposed improvements has been made by Mr. Frank W. Pierson, Street Commissioner, of Wilmington se not to exceed \$12,000.

W. J. WILSON, President.

Among which will be more horses and mules of the best quality than was ever in obunch on this peninsula.

No. 1. Pair of Sorrel Horses, 16 hands high, 5 and 6 years old, weigh 2500 pounds, well mated, extra broken in all harness. This team is as good as the best.

W. J. WILSON, President.

JOSEPH HANSON, Secretary.

CHIROPODY

MRS. JAMES Corn, bunions, ingrowing nails or any ffections of the feet antiseptically and ainlessly treated by graduate chiropodist. Iso Shampooing, Manicuring and Scalp reatment. Hair combings made up in hel latest styl.

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in life and her family as to allow her

affections to become engaged by any-one who, from his birth and upbring-ing in the er—oh—unlicensed atmos-phere of the western country would

be persona non grata to dignified so-ciety of this ancient city and—"
"Nonsense," interrupted the young-er brother bluntly. "You have lived

"I will thank you, Robert," said his

"'Dinky,' if my recollection serves."
"Ah, precisely. I am not sure as
to the meaning of the term, but I

conceive it to be something opprobri

ous. You can say what you like about me and mine, but of Philadelphia, no." "Oh, the town's right enough," re-

turned his brother, not at all im-

women in the west as in New York or

"I am sure you don't mean to be

offensive, Robert, but really the asso

Your Day Has Passed, Steve," Re

turned the Younger Maitland.

with that common and vulgar New

dare say they are of a finer type than

strive to mingle with the east; there

mit any intermixtures of er-race

Steve." interrupted his brother sar

you and me? Although you had every

"Rittenhouse Square," cut in Rob

ert Maitland with amused sarcasm.
"Well, Enid, you seem to have run
the gamut of the east pretty thor-

oughly; come out and spend the sum-mer with me in Colorado. My Denver

we can break away from civilization entirely and find some unexplored, un-

known canon in the heart of the moun

tains and camp there. We'll get back

to nature, which seems to be impos-sible in Philadelphia, and you will see things and learn things that you will

never see or learn anywhere else. It'll

"I believe I am not very fit." said

advantage in life that birth can give

pressed. "I'm talking about now. There are just as fine m

Philadelphia."

"I'm talking about people

most extraordinary word?"

CHAPTER I.

The Young Lady From Philadelphia Miss Enid Mattland was a highly specialized product of the far east. I say far, viewing Colorado as a point say lar, viewing Cotton as a identifying her with the orient. The classic shades of Bryn Mawr had been the "Groves of Academus where with old Plato she had walked." Incidentally during her completion of the exhaustive cur-riculum of that justly famous institu-tion she had acquired at least a bowing acquaintance with other masters

tion been sacrificed to the mental. In her at least the mens sana and the corpore sano were alike in evidence. She had ridden to hounds many times on the anise-scented trail of the West Chester Hunt! Exciting tennis and leisurely golf had engaged her atten-tion on the courts and greens of the Merion Cricket club. She had buffeted "Old Ocean's gray and melancholy waste" on the beach at Cape May and

Spiritually she was a devoted mem ber of the Episcopal church, of the variety that abhors the word "Protes-ant" in connection therewith. Alto-gether she reflected great credit upon her pastors and masters spiritual and ten poral and her up-bringing in the three departments of life left little to

Upon her graduation she had been at once received and acclaimed by the "Assembly Set" of Philadelphia, to which indeed she belonged unquestioned by right of birth and position and there was no other power under heaven by which she could have ef-fected entrance therein, at least that is what the outs thought of that most exclusive circle. The old home of the Maitlands overlooking Ritsenhouse Square had been the scene of her debut. In all the refined and decorous gattles of Philadelphia's ultra-fastidious society she had participated. She had even looked upon money standardized New York in its delirium of extravagance, at least in so far as a sedate and well-born Philadelphia family could coun-tenance such golden madness. During the year she had ranged like a con querer-pardon the masculine appella tion—between Palm Beach in the south and Bar Harbor in the north. Philadelphia was proud of her, and she was not unknown in those un

fortunate parts of the United States which lay without.

In all this she had remained a frank, free, unspoiled young woman. Life was full of zest for her, and she enjoyed it with the most un-Pennsylva-

ing out found her in Colorado. Robert Maitland was one of the big men of the west. He had departed from Phil-adelphia at an early age and had settled in Colorado while it was still in the formative period. There he had grown up with the state. The Phil-adelphia Maitlands could never under-stand it or explain it. Bob Maitland must have been, they argued, a rever sion to an ancient type, a throwback to some robber baron long antecedent to William Penn. And the speculation was true. The blood of some lawless adventurer of the past, discreetly for got by the conservative section of the family, bubbled in his veins unchecked by the repressive atmosphere of his home and immediate environment.

He had thoroughly identified himself with his new surroundings and had plunged into all the activities of the west. During one period of his of one of the border counties, and it was a rapid "bad man" indeed, who enjoyed any advantage over him when it came to drawing his "gun." His skill and daring had been unquestioned, he had made a name for himself which still abides, especially in the mountains where things yet re-mained almost as primitive as they

mained almost as primitive as they, had been from the beginning.

His fame had been accompanied by fortune, too; the cattle upon a thousand fills were his, the treasures of the beautiful and t "How little you know of the bor mines of fabulous richness were at his command. He lived in Denver in one of the greatest of the bonanza palaces on the hills of that city, conculd not comprehend how it irritated palaces on the hills of that city, con-fronting the snow-capped mountain his stately brother to be called range. For the rest he held stock in all sorts of corporations, was a director in numerous concerns and so on—the reader can supply the usual catalogue, they are all alike. He had barred by a foothill couldn't be ex-

catalogue, they are an was the father married late in life and was the father of two little girls and a boy, the oldest sixteen and the youngest ten.

Going east, which he did not love, on an infrequent business trip, he had renewed his acquaintance with his brother and the one ewe lamb of his brother and the one ewe lamb of his shorter and the one ewe lamb of his brother and the one ewe lamb of his shorter and the one was lamb of his shorter and the one was lamb of his brother and the one ewe lamb of his brother's flock, to-wit, the afore-mentioned Enid. He had been struck, as everybody was, by the splendid nus prother's nock, to-wit, the afore-mentioned Enid. He had been struck, as everybody was, by the splendid personality of the girl and had striven earnestly to disabuse her mind of the prevalent idea that there was nothing much worth whife on the continent prevalent idea that there was nothing much worth while on the continent

beyond the Allegheny except scenery.
"What you need, Enid, is a ride across the plains, a sight of real mountains, beside which these little foothills in Pennsylvania that people back here make so much of wouldn't be noticed. You want to get some of the spirited, glorious freedom of the west into your conservative straight-laced

"In my day, Robert," reprovingly re-marked his brother, Enid's father, "freedom was the last thing a young lady gently born and delicately murtured would have coveted."

"Your day is passed, Steve," returned the younger Maitland with
shocking carelessness. "Freedom is
what every woman desires now, especially when she is married. You are
not in love with anybody, are you,
Thelieve I am not very fit." said
"I believe I am not very fit." said

"With not a soul," frankly replied the girl, "and if father will permit—" "Of course, of course," said Stephen loquy between the two men, who, Maitland, "you are your own mistress

young woman lightly. "I am not and

Maitland. "We'll give you a royal good time. I must run up to New York and Boston for a few days, but

do you ever read the western news

ers?"
confess that I have not given much thought to the west since I studied geography and—the Philadelphia papers have been thought suffi-cient for the family since—"
"Good Lord," exclaimed Maitland.

"The house cost half a million dol-"If I thought it possible," interposed Mr. Stephen Maitland in his most austere and dignified manner, "that my daughter," with a perceptible emphasis on the "my," as if he and not the daughter were the principal being under consideration, "should ever so far forget what belongs to her station.

Enid, "and then the ranch and then "Right-O; that shall be the pro-

"Will my daughter's life be perfect-

ly safe from the cowboys, Indians and desperadoes?"

"Quite safe," answered Robert, with deep gravity. "The cowboys no longer shoot up the city and it has been years here wrapped up in yourselves and your dinky little town so long that mental asphysiation is threatening since the Indians have held up even a trolley car. The only real desperado in my acquaintance is the mildest gen-tle old stage driver in the west." brother with something approaching the manner in which he would have repelled a blasphemy, "not to refer to Philadelphia as—er—what was your

"Do you keep up an acquaintance with men of that class still?" asked his brother in great surprise. "You know I was sheriff in a bor-

der county for a number of years

drawn from all such society now."
"Out west," said Robert Maitland, "when we know a man and like him, when we have slept by him on the plains, ridden with him through the ountains, fought with him against some border terror, some bad man thirsting to kill, we don't forget him, we don't cut his acquaintance, and it doesn't make any difference whether the one or the other of us is rich or poor. I have friends who can't frame a grammatical sentence, who habitually eat with their knives, yet who are absolutely devoted to me and I to The man is the thing out
He smiled and turned to
"Always excepting the su-

which wrought the change. Behold the young lady astride of a horse for the river. the first time in her life in a divided skirt, that fashion prevalent elsewhere not having been accepted by the best equestriennes of Philadelphia. She was riding ahead of a lumbering moundrawn by four sturdy broncos and followed by a number of obstinate little burros at present unincumbered with packs which would be used when they got further from civilization and the way was no longer practicable for any-

Miss Epid Maitland was clad in a way that would have caused her father a stroke of apoplexy if he could have

been suddenly made aware of her dress, if she had burst into the draw-ing-room without announcement, for instance. Her skirt was distinctly York is er—un—pleasant," fairly shud-dered the elder Maitland.
"I'm only urging you to recognize the quality of the western people. I short, she wore heavy hob-nailed shoes that laced up to her knees, she had on a bright blue sweater, a kind of a cap known as a tam-o-shanter was the average here."

"From your standpoint, no doubt,"
continued his brother severely and
somewhat wearily as if the matter pinned above her glorious hair, which was closely braided and wound around her head. She wore a silk handkerchief loosely tied around her neck, a knife and revolver hung at were not worth all this argument. "All that I want of them is that they stay in the west where they belong and not her belt, a little watch was strapped to one wrist, a handsomely bradled quirt dangled from the other, a pair of spurs adorned her heels and most discomposing fact of all, by her side is a barrier between us and them which it is not well to cross. To perrode a handsome and dashing cava-"The people out there are white,

donically. "I wasn't contemplating in-troducing Enid here to Chinese, or negroes, or Indians, or—" "Don't you see," said Mr. Stephen have appeared in the conventional black and white of evening clothes was not quite clear to her, for she had as yet never beheld him in that obliterating raiment, but in the habit Maitland, stubbornly waving aside this sarcastic and irrelevent com-ment "from your very conversation of the west, riding trousers, heavy ment, "from your very conversation the vast gulf that there is between boots that laced to the knees, blue shirt, his head covered by a noble "Stetson," mounted on the firy restive



ly in Love With Enid Maitland.

he was ideal. Alas for the vanity of human proposition! Mr. James Arm-strong, friend and protege these many years of Mr. Robert Maitland, mine owner and cattle man on a much smaller scale than his older friend, was desperately in love with Enid Maitland, and Enid, swept off her feet by a wooing which began with pre cipitant ardor so soon as he laid eyes on her, was more profoundly moved by his suit, or pursuit, than she could have imagined.

Omne ignotum pre magnifico! She had been wooed in the conver tional fashion many times and oft on the sands of Palm Beach, along the eliffs of Newport, in the romantic glens of Mount Desert, in the old-fashioned drawing-room overlooking Rittenhouse Square. She had been proposed to in motor cars, on the decks of yachts and once even while riding to hounds, but there had been a touch of sameness about it all. Never had she been made love to with the headlong gallantry, with the dashing precipitation of the west. It had swept her from her moorings. She found almost before she was aware of it that her past loguy between the two men, who, though mothered by the same woman, were as dissimilar as—what shall I say, the east is from the west? Let it go at that.

"That's all right," said her uncle, relieved apparently. "I will take you gut west and introduce you to some Maitland, 'you are your own mistress anyway, and having no mother—"of the west. It had swept her from her moornings. She found aimost before a summorings. She found aimost before a say way, and having no mother—"of the west. It had swept her from her moornings. She found aimost before a summoring she found aimost before a summoring she found aimost before the west. It had swept her from her moornings. She found aimost before a summoring she found aimost before a summoring she found aimost before the was aware of it that her past experience how stood her in little stead. She awake to a sudden realization of the fact that she was practically pledged to James Armstrong had passed them at way—yet."

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"Nonsense, father," answered the lashing precipitation of the west. It had swept her from her moornings. She found aimost before anyway, and having no mother—"
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an acquaintance of three weeks in Denver and on the ranch.

Business of the most important and critical nature demanded Armstrong's presence east at this juncture, and will-he-nill-he there was no way he could put off his departure longer. "What is the house in Denver; is it er—may I ask, provided with all modern conveniences and—" began the elder Maitland nervously.

Robert Maitland laughed.
"What do you take us for Stars.

The Game Played in the Usual Way. The road on which they advanced into the mountains was well made and well kept up. The canon through the foothills was not very deep—for Colorado—and the ascent was gentle. Naturally it wound in every direction "The house cost half a million dollars, if you must know it, and if there is anything that modern science can contribute to comfort and luxury that it is. Shall it be the house in Denver, or the ranch, or a real camp in the wilds, Enid?"

"First the house in Denver," said First the ranch and then the ranch and the ranch an of the party who had elected to go a horseback. There was perhaps a tacit agreement among the latter not to break in upon this growing friendship, or, more frankly, not to interfere in a

developing love affair. The canen broadened here and there at long intervals and ranch houses were found in every clearing but these were few and far between and for the most part Armstrong and Enid Maitland rode practically alone save for the passage of an occasional umber wagon.

"You can't think," began the man, as they drew rein after a splendid gallop and the somewhat tired horses readily subsided into a walk, "how l

hate to go back and leave you."
"And you can't think how loath I am to have you return," the girl flashed out at him with a sidelong glance from her bright blue eyes and a witching smile from her scarlet lips. "Enid Maitland," said the man,

'you know I just worship you. I'd like to sweep you out of your saddle, lift you to the bow of mine and ride away with you. I can't keep my hands off you, I—"

Before she realized what he would be about he swerved his herse toward her, his arm went around her suddenly. Taken completely off her guard she could make no resistance, indeed she scarcely knew what to expect un-til he crushed her to him and kissed her, almost roughly, full on the lips.

premacy of woman," he added.
"How fascinating," exclaimed the girl, want to go there right away."
And this was the train of events the edge of the road which here ran on an excavation some fifty feet above

"How dare I?" laughed the auda clous man, apparently no whit abashed by her indignation. "When I think of my opportunity I am amazed at my moderation."

"Your opportunity; your moderation?" "Yes, when I had you helpless I took but one kiss; I might have held

you longer and taken a hundred."
"And by what right did you take that one?" haughtily demanded the outraged young woman, looking at him beneath level brows while the color slowly receded from her face She had never been kissed by a man other than a blood relation in he life—remember, suspicious reader, that she was from Philadelphia,—and she resented this sudden and unau-thorized caress with every atom and instinct of her still somewhat conventional being.

"But aren't you half way engaged to me?" he pleaded in justification, see-ing the unwonted seriousness with which she had received his impudent advance. "Didn't you agree to give me a chance?" "I did say that I liked you very much," she admitted, "no man better,

and that I thought that you might-"Well, then—" he began.
But she would not be interrupted.
"I did not mean that you should en-

joy all the privileges of a conquest before you had won me. I will thank you not to do that again, sir.' "It seems to have had a very dif-ferent effect upon you than it does upon me." replied the man coolly. "I

loved you before, but now, since I have kissed you, I worship you."
"It hasn't affected me that way," retorted the girl promptly, her face still frowning and indignant. "Not at all,

"Forgive me, Enid," pleaded the other. "I just couldn't help it. You were so beautiful I had to. I took the chance. You are not accustomed to 'Is this your habit in your love af-

fairs?" asked the girl swiftly and not without a spice of feminine malice "I never had any love affair be-fore," he replied with a ready mascu-line mendacity, "at least none worth mentioning. But you see this is the west; we have gained what we have by demanding every inch that nature offers, and then claiming the all. That's the way we play the game out here and that's the way we win. "But I have not yet learned to play the 'game,' as you call it, by any such rules," returned the young woman de-terminedly, "and it is not the way to

win me if I am the stake." "What is the way?" asked the man anxiously. "Show me and I'll take it no matter what its difficulty." "Ah, for me to point out the way would be to play traitor to myself,

she answered, relenting and relaxing a little before his devoted wooing. "You must find it without assistance." I can only tell you one thing." "And what is that?"

"You do not advance toward the goal by such actions as those of a ment since." "Look here," said the other sudden "I am not ashamed of what I did

and I'm not going to pretend that I am, either."
"You ought to be," severely. "Well, maybe so, but I'm not: I

"Well, since it is true," she admit-i under the compulsion of his pro-st. "That fact is the only possible "You find some justification for me,

"I have been wood before, but-" True, unless the human race has come suddenly blind," he said softly under his breath.

"But never in such ungentle ways." "I suppose you have never run up gainst a real red-blooded man like

ne before."
"If red-blooded be evidenced mainly by lacking of self control, perhaps I have not. Yet there are men that I have met that would not need to apologize for their qualities even to you, Mr. James Armstrong."

Mr. James Armstrong."
"Don't say that. Evidently I make but poor progress in my wooing. Never have I met with a woman quite like you"—and in that indeed lay some of her charm, and she might have replied in exactly the same ian-guage and with exactly the same meaning to him—"I am no longer a boy. I must be fifteen years older than you are, for I am thirty-five."

The difference between their years

vas not quite so great as he declared, out womanlike the girl let the state-

ment pass unchallenged.

"And I wouldn't insult your intelligence by saying you are the only woman that I have ever made love to,

but there is a vast difference between making love to a woman and loving one. I have just found that out for the first time. I marvel at the past, and I am ashamed of it, but I thank God

their heads, but Enid Maitland was an exceedingly cool young person, for she was not quite swept off her feet, won the old man's heart during the and did not quite lose her balance.

and certainly not in your way, and overwhelmingly desired. Kirkby was that's the reason I have given you a well along in years, but he was quite half way promise to think about it. capable of playing a man's game for I was sorry that you could not be all that, and he intended to play it in with us on this adventure, but now I this instauce. am rather glad, especially if the even temper of my way is to be interrupted by anything like the outburst of a few rinutes since.

"I am glad, too," admitted the man. "For I declare I couldn't help it. If I have to be with you either you have got to be mine or else you would have to decide that it could never be, and then I'd go off and fight it out."
"Leave me to myself," said the girl earnestly "for a little while; it's best so; I would not take the finest, noblest

man on earth-"And I am not that." "Unless I loved him. There is someting very attractive about your pernality; I don't know in my heart whether it is that, or-

"Good," said the man, as she hesi-tated. "That's enough." He gathered up the reins and whirled his horse suddenly in the road. "I am going

back. I'll wait for your return to Denver, and then—"
"That's best," answered the girl.
She stretched out her hand to him, leaning backward. If he had been a different kind of a man he would have kissed it; as it was he took it in his own hand and almost crushed it with flerce grip.
"We'll shake on that, little girl," he DELAWARE COLLEGE a flerce grip.

said, and then without a backward glance he put spurs to his horse and galloped furiously down the road.

No, she decided then and there, she did not love him, not yet. Whether she ever would she could not tell. And yet she was half bound to him. The recollection of his kiss was not altogether a pleasant memory; he had not done himself any good by that bold assault upon her modesty, that reckless attempt to rifle the treasure of her lips. No man had ever really touched her heart, although many had engaged her interest. Her experience therefore was not definitive or conclusive. If she had truly loved James Armstrong, in spite of all that she might have said, she would have thrilled to the remembrance of that wild caress. The chances, therefore, were somewhat heavily against him that morning as he rode down the trail slope. trail alone.



that he was not from Philade "Well, maybe so, but I'm not; I that he was not froff Philadelphia—
couldn't help it any more than I could help loving you the minute I saw you. Put yourself in my place."

"But I am not in your place, and I can't put myself there. I do not wish to. If it be true, as you say, that you have grown to—care so much for me and so quickly—"

"If it be true?" came the sharp interruption as the man bent toward her, fairly devouring her with his bold, ardent gaze.

"Well, maybe so, but I'm not; I that he was not froff Philadelphia—hers were not the first ears into which he had poured passionate protestations. He was not froff Philadelphia—bers were not the first ears into which he had poured passionate protestations. He was neither better nor worse than most men, peshapg he fairly enough represented the average het in the first ears into which he had poured passionate protestations. He was neither better nor worse than most men, peshapg he fairly enough represented the average man. A girl of such attainments and such infinite possibilities, she must be the first ears into which he had poured passionate protestations. He was neither better nor worse than most men, peshapg he fairly enough represented the average, but surely fate had something ago; but surely fate ha hers were not the first ears into which he had poured passionat

silently waited to be overtaken by the rest of the party.

There were curious glances and strange speculations in that little company as they saw her sitting her horse alone. A few moments before Middletown,

with Enid's somewhat grave and some what troubled present aspect. She threw off her preoccupation instantly and easily, however, and joined read-ily enough in the merry conversation of the way.

Mr. Robert Maitland, as Armstrong has said, had known him from a boy. There were things in his career of which Maitland did not and could not approve, but they were of the past, he reflected, and Armstrong was after all a pretty good sort. Mr. Maitland's standards were not at all those of his Philadelphia brother, but they were very high. His experiences of men had been different; he thought that Armstrong, having certainly by this time reached years of discretion, could be safely entrusted with the precious treasure of the young girl who had been committed to his care, and for whom his affection grew as his knowledge of and acquaintanceship with her

As for Mrs. Maitland and the two girls and the youngster, they were Armstrong's devoted friends. They knew nothing about his past, indeed there were things in it of which Maitland himself was ignorant, and which had they been known to him might have caused him to withhold even his

Most of these things were known I am ashamed of it, but I thank God that I have been saved for this opportunity. I want to win you, and I am going to do it, too. In many things I don't match up with the people with whom you train. I was born tooled along the four nervous, excited the design of the same than the same training is tooled along the four nervous, excited the same training is the same than the same than the same training is the same than the same training is the same training to old along the four nervous, excited the same training things I don't match up with the peer liberal to be shown that the shown pour train. I was born tooled along the four nervous, excited out here, and I've made myself. There bronchos that drew the big supply out here, and I've made myself. There are things that have happened in the making that I am not especially proud of, and I am not at all satisfied with the results, especially since I have met you. The better I know you the less pleased I am with Jim Armstrong, but there are possibilities in me, I rather believe, and with you for inspiration, God!"—the man flung out his hand with a fine gesture of determination. "They say that the east and west don't naturally mingle, but given over his daily twenty-five miles from Morrison to Troutdale to it's a lie; you and I can beat the | jaunt from Morrison to Troutdale to other hands for a short space that he The woman thrilled to his gallant woolng. Any woman would have done so; some of them would have lost greatly attached to him on this outing.

weeks spent on the Maitland ranch "I like to hear you say things like that," she answered. "Nobody quite like you has ever made love to me, merited that which he evidently so Nobody scanned Enid Maitland's

face more closely than he, sitting humped up on the front seat of the wagon, one foot on the high break, his head sunk almost to the level of his taking in every detail of what was go ing on about him. Indeed there was but little that came before him that old Kirkby did not see. (To BE CONTINUED.)

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